

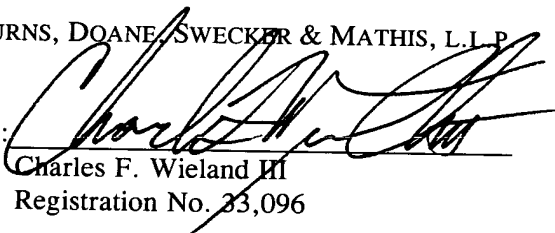
**REMARKS**

Claims 1-23 are pending in the application. Claims 17-23 have been added to round out the scope of protection being sought. Applicants respectfully request consideration of the new claims 17-23.

Respectfully submitted,

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